

GREAT TRIBUTE TO DEAD EDUCATOR

Prominent People From Many States Attend Funeral of Dr. Charles D. Melver.

BUSINESS IN CITY SUSPENDED

No Successor Selected, But Prof. J. T. Foust Placed in Charge of the Institution.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
CHICAGO, N. C., September 19.—The death of Dr. Charles D. Melver, one of the most prominent educators of the South, was announced today by the Board of Trustees of the University of North Carolina. Dr. Melver, who was born in 1832, was a member of the faculty of the University for many years, and was one of the most distinguished educators of the South. His death was a great loss to the University and to the South. The Board of Trustees has decided to suspend business in the city until the funeral of Dr. Melver. Prof. J. T. Foust has been placed in charge of the institution.

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FOR CONGRESS.

Republicans of the Second District Nominate J. R. Gaskill.
(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
BALTIMORE, Md., September 19.—The Republicans of the Second District have nominated J. R. Gaskill for Congress. Gaskill is a prominent businessman and a member of the House of Representatives.

Pretty Morning Marriage.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
BALTIMORE, Md., September 19.—A pretty morning marriage took place today in Baltimore. The bride and groom were both well-known figures in the community.

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THE LYNCHBURG BOARD OF TRADE

Endorse the Plan of Annexation of Large Outlying Area to City Limits.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
LYNCHBURG, Va., September 19.—The Board of Trade of Lynchburg today endorsed the plan of annexation of a large outlying area to the city limits. The plan was proposed by the Board of Trade and was approved by a majority vote of the Board.

Murderer Must Hang.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
LYNCHBURG, Va., September 19.—A murderer who was convicted of the murder of a woman in Lynchburg today was sentenced to hang. The execution was carried out by the State of Virginia.

LENGTH OF NOTICE.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
LYNCHBURG, Va., September 19.—A notice of length of notice was given today in Lynchburg. The notice was given to a prominent businessman.

Railroad Attorneys Argue Question Before Commission.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
LYNCHBURG, Va., September 19.—Attorneys for the railroad companies today argued a question before a commission. The question was about the length of notice.

Commission at Work.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
LYNCHBURG, Va., September 19.—A commission was at work today in Lynchburg. The commission was working on a report about the length of notice.

Do It Now! Don't Wait Until It's Too Late!

KEEP your body clean! Most people are very neat and clean in their outward appearance, but how about the inside?

Are you clean inside? And if not, how can you face the world with clean thoughts, clear intelligence, a fair, just, bright mind and get your full share of capacity for work and enjoyment?

Neglect of exercise, rich over-feeding and carelessness about stools, often leave the delicate internal mechanism in a rusty mess.

The small intestine is compelled to absorb the poison of decaying matter instead of wholesome nourishment.

The liver gets inactive; the bile doesn't "work off"; the eyes get yellow; the skin gets dead like putty and pale like dough, disfigured with boils, pimples, blackheads and liver-spots.

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If you can not diet, or keep your mechanism going by proper exercise, take Cascarets, the sweet, fragrant, harmless little vegetable tablets, that "act like exercise" on your bowels, and gently but powerfully clean out and disinfect the whole digestive canal.

A Cascaret every night before going to bed will "work while you sleep" and make you "feel fine in the morning."

If you have been neglecting yourself for some time, take a Cascaret night and morning and break up the "constipated habit" without acquiring a "cathartic habit."

Cascarets are sold by all druggists, 10c, 25c and 50c. The 10c size trial box is a treat for the vest pocket or lady's purse.

Be sure to get the genuine with the "long-tailed C" on the box and the letters "CCC" on each tablet. They are never sold in bulk.

NORTH CAROLINA SUPREME COURT

Opinions in Nine Cases and Appeals Otherwise Disposed Of.

A CASE OF MUCH INTEREST

Appeal of Woman Denied by Superior Court Adjusted by Supreme Court.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
RALEIGH, N. C., September 19.—Opinions in nine cases were delivered by the Supreme Court last evening, and six other appeals were disposed of per curiam and otherwise.

By odds the case of most public interest was Pittenger vs. Pittenger, in which the court delivered an opinion in favor of Mrs. J. M. Pittenger, wife of the rector of the Church of the Good Shepherd of this city, in a suit involving about \$20,000, and growing out of the settlement of the partition of the famous Medco Vineyard of the Garrett estate in Halifax county.

The appeal was on a motion made by Mrs. Pittenger and denied by the Superior Court judge for a resale of the vineyard to pay the unpaid purchase money to Mrs. Pittenger. The property had been sold by the Superior Court to a third party, and the court was asked to set aside the sale.

The court was divided 4-3 in favor of Mrs. Pittenger. The majority opinion was delivered by Justice W. R. Hoke. The dissenting opinion was delivered by Justice J. W. Hunt.

In disposing of the case the court says: "It would be rank injustice, and neither within the letter or spirit of the language of the decree, to hold that Mrs. Pittenger is bound by the sale which Paul Garrett sought to bid for the vineyard, when he knew he could pay for it in the greatly depreciated price of \$10,000."

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USE PUBLIC FUNDS FOR PRIVATE GAIN

Investigation in the Philippines Shows That Abuses Have Gone Very Far.

CHARGES AGAINST OFFICIAL

Captain in Quartermaster's Department Alleged to Have Misappropriated Money.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
MANILA, September 19.—Captain I. L. Fredenall, of Quartermaster's Department, was charged in the court of first instance in this city this afternoon with misappropriation of public funds.

The filing of these charges is the culmination of extensive investigations by the military authorities into an alleged series of frauds perpetrated by members of the Quartermaster's Department in the Philippines. The supply resulted in the discovery of padded payrolls, a quartermaster's ships and grafting in the house of lights. Both officers and civilians are implicated and court-martials will follow the court proceedings.

Major-General Wood continued the inquiry originally begun by Major-General Corbin. The result of the investigation has been a great saving in transportation funds and a decrease in graft, such as the manufacture of furniture, etc., in the shops for the private use of officers and civilians.

High officials in the army and government are said to have been the beneficiaries.

Negro Identified.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
LYNCHBURG, Va., September 19.—Mrs. George Blanks, who was assaulted by a negro on the outskirts of the city last Monday, positively identified Walter Jones, one of the negroes in custody, as her assailant.

Jones will have a preliminary hearing at noon, as the police can get the case ready for trial.

OBITUARY.

Funeral of Captain Eliett.

The funeral of Captain Thomas Eliett, who died Tuesday night in his home, 11 Laurel Street, took place at 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon from St. Paul's Episcopal Church.

The funeral was largely attended, for the dead man was popular with all classes and was widely known. Members of Lee Camp, Confederate Veterans, and the faculty and directors of the McIntosh Institute attended the funeral in bodies.

The pallbearers were: Commander James Vase, E. Jeter, Robert G. H. Boulton, George Storrs, D. C. Richardson, J. W. D. Farrar, Charles P. Young, James Gray and M. T. Rider, all of Lee Camp.

Miss Inez Booth.

Miss Inez Booth, eldest daughter of Mr. Walter T. and Mrs. Annie C. Booth, died yesterday morning after a long illness, in the twenty-third year of her age.

The funeral will take place this afternoon at 5 o'clock from the residence, 312 East Leigh Street. The burial will be in Hollywood.

Funeral of Mr. Eliett.

The funeral of Warren C. Eliett, president of the Atlantic Coast Line Company, who died at Watkins, N. C., last Monday, took place here today from St. Paul's Church. The services were conducted by Rev. E. Briggs Nash, pastor in charge.

IN MEMORIAM.

RODEARMEI.—In sad but loving remembrance of our wife and daughter, ELIZABETH RODEARMEI, who departed this life September 20, 1906, died one year ago today.

"The hard to break the tender cord,
When love has bound the heart;
'Tis hard, so hard, to speak the words,
Must we forever part."

We cannot tell you how we miss her, Elizabeth, the charming girl,
One must be first, but let us all
Prepare to meet you and our God.

Resolutions of Respect.

AT A CALLED MEETING OF THE Board of Directors of the Virginia Mechanics' Institute, held at 3:30 o'clock P. M., yesterday, the following resolutions were presented: President W. J. Whitelurst, Vice-President Mann S. Quinn, R. M. Gwynne, R. H. Hand, Welford, A. J. Chewning, T. W. White, J. D. Crump, J. W. Roberts, E. H. Ferguson, H. E. Holmes, N. P. Coker, E. R. Archer, S. H. Hatcher, L. T. Christian, J. B. Welsh, M. J. Dimmock, and Arthur Secretary Frank W. Duke.

The oldest of the meeting was to draw up resolutions of respect to the memory of the deceased secretary Captain THOMAS ELIETT.

The following resolutions were framed: Whereas, our beloved friend and colleague, Captain Thomas Eliett, has been taken from his eternal reward, be it resolved:

1. That we acknowledge the services of an eminent Creator and bend in accord with His holy will, believing that He has claimed one of His own.

2. We wish to recognize and place on record our esteem for the inestimable value of his service to the young men of this city as one of the incorporators and the only secretary of the Virginia Mechanics' Institute since its beginning in 1884.

3. His self-sacrifice in the execution of the varied and arduous duties demanded by such a school and his confidence in his success are among the truly great triumphs in the history of the institute.

4. We would refer to his personal life as patterned after the Great Exemplar, worthy of emulation by all who strive for the highest phases of human endeavor.

MANN S. QUINN,
J. D. CRUMP,
FRANK W. DUKE,
Committee.

After the adoption of these resolutions the directors and instructors of the institute attended in a body the funeral services.

DEATHS.

BOOTH.—Died, Wednesday morning, at 4:30 o'clock, INEZ BOOTH, eldest daughter of Walter T. and Annie C. Booth; aged two years three months.

Funeral from the residence, 312 East Leigh Street, Thursday, at 5 o'clock. Interment in Hollywood.

HEALY.—Died, in Newport News, September 19th, at 11:35 A. M., Mrs. FRANCES A. HEALY.

Funeral will take place from Chesapeake and Ohio train FRIDAY MORNING at 11:30 o'clock. Interment in Mount Calvary Cemetery.



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Brief Items From Everywhere

NEWPORT.—The convening of the Order of the Canoe, which was established in a small stable here last fall for the benefit of needy women and others, has been such a success that a large house for the order will probably be erected.

Richmonders in New York.
(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
NEW YORK, September 19.—J. Y. Alderman, Belmont, R. D. Hargrave, Philip Avenue, J. H. Addison, Mrs. R. D. Hargrave, J. B. Bartlett, R. R. Meade, Holland, J. S. Bryant, Webster, Mrs. F. Coker, Misses Coker, Miss G. Clark, Mrs. R. S. Melroy, C. C. Reed.

NEW YORK.—For running away from home and playing away two weeks, sixteen-year-old Gladys Fisher was severely spanked on Monday night by her own mother in front of Fulton's Theatre, Wednesday, and before the eyes of an amused crowd.

PHILADELPHIA.—Introduced Saturday evening, engaged Sunday and married Monday, is the marriage record made by Henry W. Adams, Jr., a young New York broker, and Miss Ellen Kiefer, of No. 29 South Fifth, sixteen years old, this city.

WEST CHESTER, Pa.—Mrs. Mary Allison, of West Chester, was shot and seriously wounded by her husband, William Allison, and later was discharged, while the police are securing the country for him.

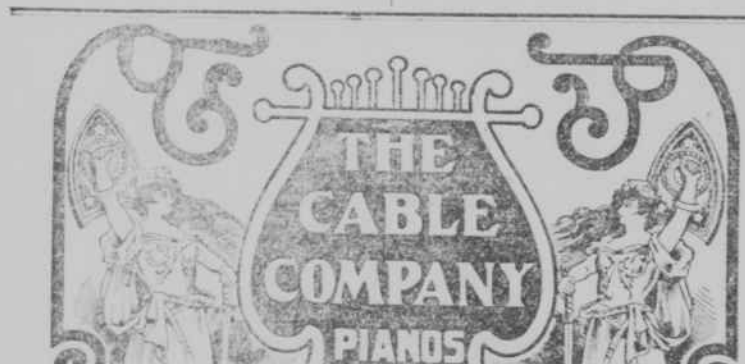
WILMINGTON.—Charles Hancock, a member of the grand jury, tells of a remarkable recovery from rheumatism. He thought he would be unable to attend the session of the grand jury because of the disease. The other night, with a party, he was sitting on a front porch that was struck by lightning. All were more or less shocked, but Hancock says the shock cured his rheumatism.

MILWAUKEE.—The School Board of the health department and Mayor Becker's administration is confronted by a serious case. The board is threatened to close a school. The board of health is threatening to close a school. The board of health is threatening to close a school.

Can Cancer be Cured? It Can. We want every man and woman in the United States to know what we are doing. We are curing Cancers, Tumors and Chronic Sores without the use of the knife or by X-ray, and are endorsed by the Senate and Legislature of Virginia. We Guarantee Our Cures.

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European and American.
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Wholesale and Retail Distributors for Victor Talking Machines.

DISASTERS OF THE GREAT STORM

(Continued from First Page.)

The recent coast storm, was picked up this morning by the Standard Oil steamer Captain A. F. Jacobs, thirty miles south of Diamond Shoals Lightship, and is now being towed by the Lucas to New York. The Lucas was asked by wireless from the Diamond Shoals Lightship, to be reported to her owner, N. H. Smith, in New York.

The German steamer, Carl Menzel, passed in the Virginia Capes to-day toward the Norfolk, City of Georgetown, with her sails gone and partially waterlogged. She was picked up off Hatteras by the Menzel, which is bound from Pernambuco for Hila, Russia.

The steamer City of Augusta reported to the Norfolk, City of Georgetown, that she passed the wrecked schooner J. V. Holmes, of Thomaston, Maine, yesterday forty miles east of Frying Pan Lightship. All of the schooner's masts and her bowsprit were overboard, but part of her deck load of lumber was still on her. The Holmes sailed from Jacksonville September 4th for Portland. She was of 48 tonnage and had a crew of seven men.

Ships Ashore.

WILMINGTON, N. C., September 19.—Fishing steamers arriving today report that a British steamer and a Dutch schooner are ashore on the beach at Little River, S. C. Wilmington tugs are at sea after the schooner, which was previously reported waterlogged off the coast, and as they have not yet returned, it is presumed that they have gone to the assistance of the other craft. Wire communication is cut with Southport, and nothing can be heard from the coast to-day.

The steamer Compton, of this port, arrived to-night at 9:30 o'clock towing the schooner Fannie Prescott, bound for Wilmington. She lost all her boats in the storm of the 18th instant and sustained slight damage.

An unknown six-masted schooner in distress was picked up to-day and towed north by a Standard Oil tug.

The British tug towed into Southport to-night the derelict schooner H. D. Bitter, wrecked on Fryingpan Shoals. The vessel is bottom up.